

## Sandra Kay "Sandy" Comfort

December 11, 1958 - September 13, 2018

Sandra Kay "Sandy" Comfort died September 13th, 2018 at home after a long illness. She was born December 11, 1958 and raised in Trinidad Colorado, one of eight children to Natalio and Frances Rivas. She played clarinet and was a majorette at Trinidad High School, class of 1977. Sandy pursued different professions over the years, including her work as an EMT, a Sheriff dispatcher and a teaching aide for English Language learners. But the title that shaped her life the greatest, was that of mother. She prided herself on being the loudest fan in the stands cheering her children on through sports over the years. She adored her grandchildren, and caring for them and spending time with them gave her the greatest joy. She was never intimidated by adversity. When she was diagnosed with lupus and rheumatoid arthritis at 33, she fought them head on with her characteristic determination and fierce opposition. Sandy treated arguing as a sport, and she never lost. She will be greatly missed by her family, as they will now have to make their own calls for everything from doctor's appointments, to contract negotiations. She is survived by her husband, Jeff; children, Brandan (Lani), Brian (Stacey) and Jessica (Scott); as well as her grandchildren, Braylee, Betty, Madelyn and Lillian; siblings, Jesse Rivas, Frances Ratzall and Sheila Rivas. Preceded in death by her parents; and siblings, Matilda, Carmen, Gary and Ricardo; as well as by her beloved dog, Kirra- whom she is carrying around in heaven. Funeral Service will be held to honor Sandy at 10:00am, Wednesday, September 26, 2018 at St. Joseph Catholic Church 1145 S

Aspen Road. Interment to follow at Roselawn Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to the ASPCA.

# Cemetery Details

## **Roselawn Cemetery**

1706 Roselawn Rd  
Pueblo, CO 81006

# Tribute Wall

DB

“ Sandy was a beautiful human being, inside and out. It's. Been years and years but I have the sweetest memory of Jeff and Sandy from when I was just a young girl playing with Lorrie and all my other wonderful friends for Bud's American Legion post 203 fast pitch softball. Jeff and Matt used to help their dad train us girls and one day Jeff brought his new girlfriend to the ball field. I was quite young in middle school, I believe, but even though I was just a girl I quickly recognized that these two were madly in love. To this day it is one of the clearest examples of chemistry and romance that I've ever witnessed. God speed this fine woman to find her special place with family that have gone on before her. I'm praying for your beautiful family, Jeff.

Quite sincerely,  
Diana Bailey (née Sanchez)

---

Diana Bailey - September 28, 2018 at 02:28 AM

MS

“ Manon Sanchez lit a candle in memory of Sandra Kay "Sandy" Comfort



---

Manon Sanchez - September 26, 2018 at 11:15 AM

PD

“ Jeff and Family, I had the pleasure of meeting Sandy when your family came for the Steelworks Tour. As a devoted mother and grandmother as Sandy, my heart goes out to all of you for your loss.

Paula Dunn

---

Paula Dunn - September 24, 2018 at 09:22 AM

KF

“ *Jeff:*

*So sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

*Ken Flory*

---

**Ken Flory** - September 23, 2018 at 10:28 PM

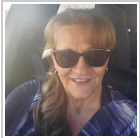
CQ

“ *Cindy Quintero lit a candle in memory of Sandra Kay "Sandy" Comfort*



---

**Cindy quintero** - September 23, 2018 at 08:14 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers to Jeff and family. May God Bless you all with many awesome and loving memories. -- Gina Capritta Dutcher*

---

**Gina Dutcher** - September 23, 2018 at 04:05 PM

NA

“ *My condolences and sympathy to Jeff and family. So sorry for your loss. Prayers for peace and comfort. Nancy Thomas Colvin*

---

**Nancy** - September 20, 2018 at 11:01 AM

CR

*To the family of Sandy. I went to school with Sandy and Sheila. We were like sisters growing up. We went to homecoming, prom, and spent a lot of quality time together. I was so close to all of them that I call there Mom and dad, ma and pa. Pa drove us 3 girls to high school every morning. Even if Sandy or Sheila missed school Pa would still pick me up for school. After graduation we all went our separate ways and lost each other, but our love for each other never died. I love these two ladies with all my heart. They will always and forever be my sisters! God Bless You! Sandy Rest In Peace and Sheila lets keep in touch for the time we have left. Cynthia Rivera*

---

**Cynthia Rivera** - September 25, 2018 at 05:58 PM

JT

*Our sympathies to Jeff and family. Truly a loss of a really nice lady. We'll miss her quick wit. So sorry, John & Gina Trujillo*

---

**John & Gina Trujillo** - September 26, 2018 at 10:57 AM